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Gold is believed to have been discovered in paying quantities in Randolph county, on a farm owned by N. G. Keim and others. Mr. Keim was the Republican candidate for the nomination for congress last spring. R. Chaffey and other conservative business men are interested in developments of the property. According to their story gold taken from the rocks averages \$220 to the ton. The report of the presence of gold there has awakened no excitement.

Nine hundred and thirty one indictments carrying possible fines aggregating \$80,000,000 and im-

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Into Elk River.

Six miles from Cleudennin on the Graig farm in Kanawha coun- to, the United States Gas and Oil Company, Monday, accidentally struck a fine flow of oil at a depth of only about 1,000 feet in the shallow sand. The company has been boring for gas in that region and were surprised when a large flow of oil was struck. The oil poured forth, and ran into a near- by creek and thence into the Elk river. The same company has a number of options on adjoining land,

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"Chet" Steck, who came from
the gold fields on the Yukon
river in Alaska last December to
visit his family here, left Tuesday
morning on his return to the
frozen north. He has three claims
there which he got in condition
for mining operations a short time
before the season closed last year,
and was able to "wash out" about
\$900 worth of the precious stuff
in only a few days. He believes
his claims are rich, and as the
mining season will open about
the time he arrives, expects to
realize handsomely from his
claims this year. We hope his
wildest dreams of riches may be
realized, for a man who spends
seven years in that God-forsaken
country is deserving of reward in
large chunks. — Webster Editor

Glasses for old eyes are adapted
on the average of 14.

The son of the late Brown N. Galford was admitted to practice this week. After serving all his debts to be paid, Justice made the following distribution of his property:

To Allen Galford to give his home place of 215 acres; to Mary Thomas one and a half and bedding complete including the bedstead; to Agnes McCloud one bed and bedding complete including the bedstead; to John H. Galford one dollar; to John H. Galford one dollar. To Jacob N. Galford all the gun with all the appurtenances to belonging. Justice directs all debts of his real and personal estate to be paid and equally divided between A. Jacob N. Galford and Samuel O. and his daughters, Mary Thomas and McCloud.

It was witnessed by W. H. Hull
Gm.

Appraisers Appointed.

Wm. W. R. Sutton and
self were appointed appraisers
of the estate of Brown N. Gal

State vs. Mitchell Sheets.

Sheets was given a hearing
before Commissioner P. D.
Carrying on the business of
dealer at Cass. Sheets was
last term of court and
Commissioner Yeager did not
warranted holding him
in Court where the law
ferret from the State

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from Cass Monday

Mrs. Paul Golden returned Monday
from an extended visit to Fairmont and
Baltimore

Mrs. Dr. Cole, of Academy, was the
guest of Mrs. O. O. Howard a few days
this week

Dr. O. A. Howard returned yesterday
from a trip to Baltimore.

Miss Arisona Rumer, of Newburg, is
visiting her sister, Mrs. M. M. McKee.

Another Gas Producer.

Word was received yesterday by C. A.
Yeager that a 5,000,000 ft. gas well had
come in for the Marlinton Oil & Gas Co.
on Indian Creek, Ritchie county. This
makes two heavy producing gas wells
for this company which is owned princi-
pally by Marlinton people. The gas has
been sold to the Hope Natural Gas Co.,
and was turned into the line the first of
the month.

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ham, President of Hampton Sydnay
College, and by Dr. H. H. Keweenaw, sec-
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The Presbytery of Maryland, in Mary-
land and Chesapeake, in Northern Vir-
ginia, were united into one called the
Presbytery of Potomac. Lexington Pres-
bytery was divided. The country from
Randolph to Calhoun counties south of
the B. & O. was made the Presbytery of
Tyger Valley, with thirty churches and
1,700 members.

The delegates from Greenbrier Presby-
tery were Revs. A. S. Rachel, Marlinton,
J. C. Johnson, Academy, D. P. McGee,
J. Lewisburg, J. M. Sedgwick, Uni-
T. J. McConnell, Greenville, R. S.
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